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EDMONTON, ALBERTA THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1903

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TELEGRAPHIC

Winnipeg, May 14th.
THE GRAIN MARKET.
Fort William wheat, No. 1, hard, spot, 77 1-2 cents a bushel.
Winnipeg oats, No. 2 white, 31 cents a bushel.

JAPAN READY FOR WAR.
Japan is ready for a struggle with Russia.

EARLY ELECTION IN MANITOBA.
Manitoba Conservatives predict an early election.

GAMEY'S BANK BOOKS.
Council will make a private inspection of Gamey's bank books.

WILL FORTIFY SYDNEY.
The British Admiralty is arranging to make Sydney, Cape Breton, an armed port.

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.
The preamble of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill has been adopted in committee.

WILL APPOINT COMMISSION.
Britain and the United States will appoint a commission to regulate a level of Great Lakes.

THE GREAT NORTHERN STRIKE.
Negotiations are still in progress between the Great Northern trainmen and the company.

MORE IMMIGRANTS FOR SASKATCHEWAN.
A movement is on foot to locate 10,000 Catholic settlers from Minnesota in Saskatchewan.

AUSTRALIAN RAILWAY STRIKE.
The Australian Victoria Assembly has taken measures to counteract the strike on the railways.

C & W LAND GRANTS ENQUIRY.
Commissioner Wells has given fresh evidence at the South Kootenay land grants enquiry.

LOCAL

—May 25th is a public holiday.
—Train left Red Deer on time.
—Mrs. and Miss Boachier left this morning for Toronto.
—Dr. Ayleen and wife returned from the east Tuesday night.
—The expense of the Gamey inquiry will likely total \$25,000.
—J. H. Morris and J. Carney went to Leduc yesterday morning.
—N. D. Berk and J. R. Boyle left for Wetaskiwin yesterday morning.
—The Edmonton Golf Club holds its opening day on Saturday next.
—Mr. and Mrs. Edmonson and family left for Banff this morning.
—Lough Derg, the famous Brandon race horse, valued at \$2,000, is dead.
—The assessment of the town of Edmonton for the current year is \$3,217.615.
—Mrs. McElroy, mother of Mrs. Studholme, went to Calgary Wednesday morning.
—Two thousand more immigrants are on the way to Western Canada from Montreal.
—The Calgary Albertan advocates a special Alberta exhibit at the World's Fair at St. Louis.
—The adjourned council meeting will be held in the council chamber this afternoon at four o'clock.
—District Engineer Driscoll has men at work surveying the Hudson Bay reserve and the Great property.
—Mr. Slocock, late of the Hudson Bay stores here, arrived in Edmonton from England, on Tuesday night.
—All real estate agents in the town of Edmonton will be compelled to pay a license fee of \$100 a year, commencing immediately.
—The Court of Assessment Revision for the town of Edmonton will sit in the council chamber on Wednesday, June 3rd, at 8 p.m.
—At San Francisco's welcome to President Roosevelt, a detachment of British sailors will march side by side with sailors of the United States navy.
—Mr. Hammett, who will be in charge of the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia which will shortly be opened for business in Edmonton has arrived in town.

—The Winnipeg senior lacrosse team is considering the advisability of appointing two captains, one to take charge of the defence, and the other the offence.
—Mr. Marchion leaves for the Grand Prairie district tomorrow to conduct a geological survey for the Dominion government. A party of six accompanies him.
—Edmonton station is a busy sight these days. From seven o'clock in the morning until six at night there is an average of twelve teams actively engaged in loading and unloading freight.
—A large machine for the manufacture of pressed brick and weighing about five tons arrived at the Edmonton station this week for Little's brick yard. The yard commenced active operations this week.
—In the Raymond district, Southern Alberta, where the first furrow was turned in August, 1901, this year there will be 8,000 acres under cultivation, of which 3,000 acres will be devoted to raising sugar beets.
—Messrs. Hunsbottom and Gay, of Cardston, arrived in town yesterday with a couple of hundred horses purchased in the neighborhood of Banff, Southern Alberta. They intend settling near the Barr colony reserve and will leave for there in a few days.
—Free Press, May 11th—Four land prospectors from Cheroke left for the Edmonton district yesterday to look over land in that quarter with the intention of buying some blocks. The members of the party were Messrs O. B. Forbes, W. S. Johnson, F. N. Molyneux, and W. J. Bennett, the last mentioned being in charge of the party.
—Seventeen freight boats left the Landing this week for down the Mackenzie river. Commodore Shot, of the Hudson Bay Company's boats, will leave shortly with a fleet of fourteen freighters for down the Mackenzie and five for Lesser Slave Lake. A Bishop, six sisters and three priests will accompany him to engage in missionary work in the far north.
—The secretary of the Edmonton exhibition association has been advised that two special prizes for dairy butter, consisting of a handsome silver tenner for first and a five pound tin Tetley's tea for second prize, will be presented by Messrs. Joseph Tetley & Co. of London, packers of the famous Tetley's tea. The presentation is made through the Hudson Bay Co., wholesale agents of these teas for western Canada.
—Plans and specifications for the new jail may be seen at the land office in the evening as well as throughout the day.
—A. M. Anderson and W. M. Butchart of Leduc arrived in Edmonton last night.

COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Edmonton city council was held in the council chamber last night. Mayor Short and Councilors Gallagher, Fraser, Cushing and Grieson were present. Alex Taylor appeared on behalf of the Edmonton public hospital and asked for assistance in building an isolation hospital (two hundred yards or thereabouts to the rear of the public hospital). Dr. Brewthwaite, Medical Health Officer, suggested that the council make certain stipulations regarding the building before a grant was made. On a vote by Coun. Grieson and Fraser, fifteen hundred dollars was granted. Coun. Gallagher alone objected, saying that one thousand dollars should be ample. Lands belonging to the town will be sold to raise this money, therefore no additional burden will be laid on the taxpayers.

Dobson, Jackson and Fry offered to lower the water mains six inches for eight cents a lineal foot. The matter was referred to Engineer Ashbridge.

The salary of G. J. Kinnaird, Secretary-treasurer, was raised to \$150 a month. Dr. Brewthwaite was granted an increase of \$20 a month on his salary as Medical Health Officer.

Arrangements were made for holding a meeting for the nomination of a school trustee. If necessary, an election will be held one week later. The obtaining of gravel was discussed at great length. The question of extending the new Ross grade south of the Grand View Hotel and up onto the level above the bank was given a lengthy consideration.

The contract for the laying of house connections for the waterworks system was awarded to Mr. Whitman, Mayor Short casting the deciding vote. John E. Graham's offer of \$300 and his two lots on which his house stands for lot 36 and the east half of lot 37, immediately across the road, was accepted. Several very important by-laws were given their first and second readings. Accounts were passed.

At 12:50 a.m. the council adjourned to meet this afternoon at four o'clock to complete business.

A full report of last night's meeting will appear in our next issue.

PURE BREED CATTLE ASSOCIATION.
The annual meeting of the Territorial Purebred Cattle association was held Tuesday morning in Calgary City Hall. The attendance was very large. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
President, P. Talbot, M.L.A.
First vice president, J. A. Turner.
Second vice president, D. H. Andrews.
Directors:
Shortlough, Hon. W. Beresford.
Hersford, Robert Linton.
Polled Angus, J. D. McGregor.
Galloways, E. D. Adams.
Dairy Breeds, J. C. Pope.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.
The directors of the Edmonton public hospital have decided to build an isolation hospital about two hundred yards to the rear of the present public hospital. Work will be commenced immediately. It will be a two-story frame building with basement. There will be four isolated rooms on each floor for patients suffering from contagious diseases. A grant of fifteen hundred dollars has been made by the town council and the project is now assured.

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THURSDAY, MAY 14TH, 1903

THE LANDING TRAIL

Edmonton, 14th May, 1903.
Editor Bulletin.

Dear Sir.—I would like through the medium of your valuable paper to draw attention to the present miserable condition—if such a mild term can convey any idea of it—of the wagon road to the Athabasca Landing. At the present time as you are aware, this is one of the important roads leading to the Edmonton region and the amount of freight and traffic over it. The whole immense amount of freight that goes to supply the large district of Athabasca as well as a weekly mail and passenger traffic going north, passes by this trail summer and winter.

Even in the present state of the road between 20 and 25 freight outfits are now trying to pull through it, some of them being as long as 10 and 12 days on the road trying to reach the Landing.

It is true that a certain amount of money has been spent there this winter in the way of bridging, and so far as that part of the work is concerned there is no room for blame. But it looks ridiculous to say the least to build a bridge across a stream and leave the approaches to it the next thing to being impassable.

Take for instance the bridge across the Vermilion river. This bridge has been simply laid across the river and the approach to it on the north side, which should have been raised and cordoned, left in a shape that would make a coyote if he attempted to cross it.

The same state of affairs exists at the crossing of Two Lakes, the bridge being simply built across a part of the creek which happens to be a good hard bottom, and an impassable hole left on the north side, the climb onto the bridge being on about a horse roof pitch, and so all along the line. Freighters and others through the Sturgeon district are obliged to get their way through farmer's fields to get round the roads as much as possible.

We heard of a cry some time ago to vote for certain candidates and good roads, and there is no doubt that the majority who travel that road voted for the candidate and are now ready to vote early and often for the good roads.

Yours Respectfully,
GEO. MACLEOD.

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METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p. m.

M. Y. M. club, open every evening;
service Sunday afternoon.

Epworth League, Monday 8 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, Thursday 8 p. m.

All strangers are cordially welcome to any and all services.

REV. T. C. BUCHANAN, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Regular services, Lord's Day, morning 11:15 evening 7.

Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Ladies' Aid Society, first Tuesday in each month, at 3 p. m.

Y. P. S. C. E. 8 p. m. Mondays.

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REV. D. C. McQUEEN, R. A., Pastor.

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Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday night at 8 p. m.

Y. P. Union, Friday, at 8 p. m.

Strangers cordially invited.

A. M. McDONALD, R. A., Pastor.

LUTHERAN CHURCH.

German Lutheran Church services will be held every Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Garage & Leonard building.

GUSTAV POKNSSEN, Pastor.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Parish of All Saints.
Sunday morning Prayer, 11 a. m.

Sunday evening Prayer, 7 p. m.
Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday at 8:30 a. m.

Sunday school 9 a. m.

Wednesday's service 8 p. m.

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d-110-115-e.

STRAYED.

From 18 to 23, on May 7, 1903, a red mare with star in forehead, weighs 900 pounds; dark brown yearling colt. Anybody seeing same please send word to J. Baines, Edmonton, or to M. Blais, Millet, P. O.

d-109-112.

MUSIC.

Miss Henry, certificated teacher of Toronto Conservatory of Music, will receive pupils for the study of Piano, Organ and theory. Pupils prepared for examination at the Conservatory of Music.

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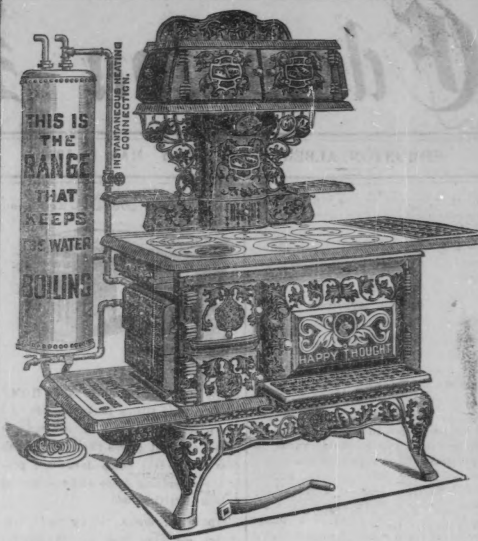
NOTICE.

Any person effecting an entry to the grounds or premises of the Industrial Exhibition Association without authority will be prosecuted. Keys of property to be had from Jas. Hostin, caretaker.

By Order, F. FRASER TIMS, Secretary.

LOST.

Between Rabbit Hills and Strathcona, a four-year-old horse, brown color, star on forehead, mane clipped, about on front feet, branded "C" on right shoulder, had halter on when lost. Finder please return to or notify Wm. Dreger.



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QUEEN STREET

East of the Market

EAST STONY PLAIN

We are having fine weather now and the farmers are rushing in the seed. Quite a large acreage of wheat has been sown this year on the Plain.

Messrs. Killen and Gilbert, real estate agents, of Edmonton, were visitors to East Stony Plain on Arder Day.

If all reports be true our M.I.A. was looking sharply after our interests while away to Regina, and hopes after the 8th of June he will be in a position to help us in building our roads.

Quite a few quarter sections have changed hands in our neighborhood at good prices. Mr. M. Johnston has sold out and is moving to town. The price was \$6,000 cash.

Our school is progressing favorably under the supervision of Miss Sarah Short of Edmonton.

Not many of the farmers can boast of having lettuce so use so early in the season as was seen some days ago at the home of Mr. John Painter. The Plain is generally to the front.

We are very sorry to hear of the continued illness of Mrs. Metcalfe, who is about to return to the hospital. We hope to hear soon of her speedy recovery.

We are sorry to have to publish the death of our esteemed friend Miss Emma Empey which sad event took place at her brother's residence on Saturday, May 9th. The late Miss Empey left Ontario in the spring of 1901 on a visit and resided with her brother on East Stony Plain up to the time of her death. Deceased had a host of friends on the Plain and was shown by the number who attended her funeral to Spruce Grove cemetery on Monday. She was a member of the Huron Methodist church and will be greatly missed by the congregation. Friends and physician could not save this mortal body from the grave, nor can the grave contain it there, when Christ, our Savior, doth appear. Gone, but not forgotten.

May 12th, 1903.

Preparations for War

Vancouver, B. C., May 11.—Passengers on the last oriental steamship to arrive say Japan's declaration of war against Russia is expected daily, that on April 3rd, Japan was ready for the enemy, and before April 15th it was certainly thought that war would be declared. Both nations continue to make active preparations.

The Japanese element in Vancouver state that if they can keep Russia from bringing in more supplies and troops they will be able to drive the bear out of Manchuria. Their stations in the Japan sea and the Straits of Formosa, are designed for this purpose and they are confident of victory.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

I. O. O. F.

Friendship lodge, No. 7, Independent Order of Oddfellows, meets Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., in Hourston's Hall, Main street. Visiting brethren cordially welcomed.

W. J. Reid, R.S., Wm. West, N.G.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Edmonton Camp, No. 755, meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings in Hourston's Hall. Visitors are specially invited.

R. KENNETH, Clerk.

SONS OF SCOTLAND BENEFIT SOCIETY

Meets in Hourston's Hall second Thursday in each month at 8 p.m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited. C. Nairn, Chief; Geo. Sinclair, Secretary.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEFIT SOCIETY

Englishmen or descendants of Englishmen.

There will be an open meeting of the Sons of England lodge on Monday evening at 8 p.m., May 18th, 1903, and you are cordially invited to attend. A. Hallier, president; P. C. Engel, secretary; T. H. Hill, Geo. Goodhill, Committee.

K. O. T. M.

Edmonton Tent, K. O. T. M., meets every first and third Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Hourston's Hall. Visiting Macdonalds cordially invited. Wm. A. Dejl, Com.; Jeremiah Watson, R.E.

LOYAL ORANGE LODGE

No 1794 meets in Hourston's Hall the second and fourth Monday in each month. Visiting members cordially welcome. A. M. Haines, R. S. J. F. Forbes, W. M.

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When the early Canadian and American transcontinental railways were opened for travel and the people faced the payment for their construction, there were prophets who credited that what they called "the railroad building craze" was at an end. It would not be profitable they said, to build any more roads of such gigantic length. To other countries could offer a reasonable prospect of profit in their construction.

But in this the prophets were sadly in error. The opening of the trans-American line was but the beginning of an era of railroad building upon a scale which has made the laying of the line from Halifax through Winnipeg to Vancouver seem like child's play. Three or four months ago the Russian government announced the official opening of the trans-Siberian railway. From the Pacific to the Atlantic it is more than twice as long as the longest trans-American road. For ten years work has been progressing upon the huge Cape-to-Cairo railway, the dream of Cecil Rhodes. It is to be 6,000 miles long and 3,500 miles of rail are now laid. Within ten years it will be open for traffic and within fifteen years, say those who ought to know, the greatest of all the great railroads will be in operation also.

This Winnipeg to Buenos Ayres will be the longest in the world and the longest that the limits of the world's dry land will ever permit man to build. From Winnipeg to Buenos Ayres, Argentina, the proposed provisional southern terminus, the line of glimmering rails will stretch a distance of about 10,000 miles, more than one-third of the distance around the earth at the equator. Leaving the C.N.R. station here the Winnipegger who makes the journey will travel in a Pullman for eighteen days ever southward and southward through the tropics, across half a dozen mountain chains and out into the temperate zone again. It will be a trip worth waiting for a lifetime. And the project of building the Pan-American railway is not an idle dream by any means. It was conceived a score of years ago by a man named Hefner, and in 1890 it had already won such approval that the government of the United States called a conference of representatives of all of the American republics to discuss it. This conference appointed a commission, of which A. J. Cassatt, now president of the Pennsylvania railroad, was chair-

man to investigate the feasibility of building the road and a corps of engineers under the commission's direction made a survey of the entire line from the southernmost terminus of the Mexican railways to the Northernmost end of the railways of the Argentine Republic. It traversed Guatemala, Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia, and it reported that the project was entirely practicable.

The United States government paid \$300,000 to the engineers, who made this survey and the commission recommended that the road be built. In 1895 there was another conference, and a second commission, headed by H. G. Davis, the veteran railroad builder, was appointed to estimate the cost of the proposed road. This commission reported that of the 10,000 miles surveyed, 5,000 were already built. The remaining 5,000 miles, it reported, might be constructed at an average cost of \$40,000 per mile. This would make the total cost of the road \$200,000,000—less than the cost of the Trans-Siberian railway, and just about equal to the estimated cost of the Cape-to-Cairo road.

During the last session of congress President Roosevelt asked for an appropriation to pay the expenses of a commission appointed to visit the countries which the uncompleted portions of the railway will traverse and report upon the probable traffic. Through the opposition of Congressman Cannon this appropriation was refused, but the work has gone on, nevertheless, under the direction of the various governments. C. M. Popper, one of the United States delegates to the recent Pan-American conference at the city of Mexico is in charge of the investigation and a few weeks ago the Latin-American ministers at Washington pledged themselves to secure appropriations from their respective governments.

That the construction of the railway will completely revolutionize the commerce of the western hemisphere is apparent. At present communication between North and South America is more difficult than communication between the same places and Europe.

The improvement in communications between the Central and South American republics themselves will be even greater. At present the journey from Mexico to Panama must be made by way of New Orleans and it requires several weeks. Were the Pan-American railway continued south of Oaxaca, Mexico, to the isthmus, the trip would be of but a few days' duration. Today all mails from the United States to some of the South American Republics are sent via London. With the Pan-

American road in operation, the entire American continent, north and south, would be in close communication.

The engineers who have surveyed the route of the proposed road say that it presents no insurmountable engineering difficulties. The Andes, it is true, will have to be crossed but then the Andes have been crossed before. There are hills of road on the Peruvian and Mexican railways much more difficult to the engineer than any stretch of the Pan-American line. Considering the difference in facilities and experience, the construction of the Canadian Pacific road across the Rockies was a far more difficult feat.

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